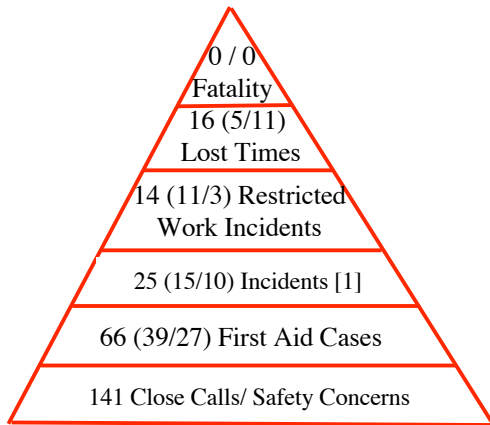


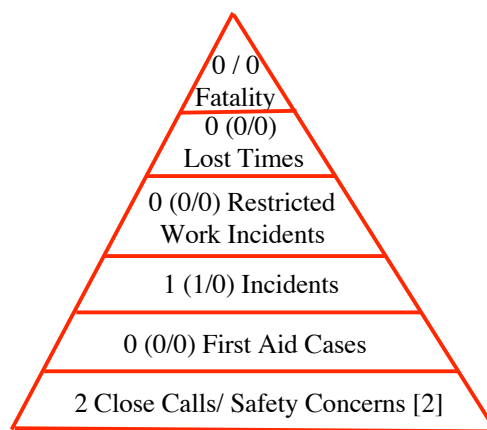
LaRC SAFETY HIGHLIGHTS

October 18, 2004

FY-2004 Civil Servants Final FY Results



FY-2005 Civil Servants FY to Date



Total Cases (civil servant/contractor) [] = Number of new occurrences

OSHA Recordable Cases = Fatalities, Lost Time, Incidents, and Restricted Work Incidents.
Incidents = Cases in which more than first aid treatment is required, but less than 8 hours of time is lost.
Restricted Work Incidents = Cases requiring first aid treatment, resulting in light duty restrictions.

Close Calls and Safety Concerns may be viewed at:
http://safety.larc.nasa.gov/OSFAHomePageStuff/osma_docs/SafetyConcerns.xls

Injury/Mishap Information

- The Center has been **31** days **without** a Civil Servant or Contractor **Lost Time Injury. (Record 74 days)**
- **OSHA Recordable Incident**
 - On September 16, 2004, an ASCAC employee sustained a corneal abrasion as a result of debris from the sanding and varnishing activities being performed in the employee's work area. A prescription-strength medication was administered making the case an OSHA Recordable Incident.



Stairway Safety Tips - A number of injuries occur while individuals are ascending/descending stairways. Remember the following tips to avoid slips, trips, and falls on stairways: Watch your step at all times; use the handrails; don't carry items that obstruct your view or read while using stairways; during inclement weather stay alert to slippery stairway conditions; make sure lighting is adequate; and if any hazards are found, such as burned out lights or loose treads or handrails, report them immediately to ensure they are repaired to eliminate the hazard.

